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129250-001017/US

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Feihong Chen, et al.                      Conf.: 4241  
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For: METHODS AND DEVICES FOR CREATING B-DIRECTIONAL LSPs  
Docket No.: 129250-001017/US

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE  
PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated July 23, 2008 of the Supervisory Patent Examiner's final rejection of claims 1-7, 9-18, 20-26, 29, 31-48, 51 and 53-56.

☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.

☐ The enclosed document is concurrently filed with a Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review.

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) **month(s)** pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a).

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

☐ **NO** extensions of time have been previously obtained for responding to the Final Rejection. Thus a fee of \$.00 is required for the full period of the above-requested

extension of time.

- ☐ An extension of \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) **month(s)** for responding to the Final Rejection was previously requested and paid for on \_\_\_\_\_. Thus a fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is required.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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Respectfully submitted,

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